



Docket No.: 300.1138

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Mitsutoshi HIGASHI

Serial No. 10/706,912

Group Art Unit: 2813

Confirmation No. 7653

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Examiner: SCHILLINGER, LAURA M

For: ELECTRONIC DEVICES AND ITS PRODUCTION METHODS

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed October 5, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on January 5, 2007. A Petition for a two-month extension of time and an RCE are submitted herewith, thereby extending the response due date to March 5, 2007.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.